



Monthly Police Board Meeting
City of Chicago
20 June 2019



POLICE BOARD
CITY OF CHICAGO

PUBLIC MEETING

CHICAGO PUBLIC SAFETY HEADQUARTERS
3510 SOUTH MICHIGAN AVENUE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 2019
7:30 P.M.

AGENDA

1. Approval of the minutes of the previous public meeting
2. Next regular public meeting of the Police Board: Thursday, July 18, 2019, at 7:30 p.m.
3. Disciplinary actions
4. Report on implementation of requirements of the Consent Decree entered in *Illinois v. Chicago*
5. Orders issued by the Superintendent of Police during the previous month
6. Report of the Superintendent of Police
7. Questions and comments from the public (see the Policy Regarding the Attendance of and Participation by the Public at Board Meetings)

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THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2019, 7:30 P.M.

MINUTES [Draft]

Board Members Present:

- President Ghian Foreman
- Vice President Paula Wolff
- Eva-Dina Delgado
- Michael Eaddy (via audio conference)
- Steve Flores
- John P. O'Malley Jr. (audio conference)
- John H. Simpson
- Rhoda D. Sweeney
- Andrea L. Zopp.

Others Present:

- Chicago Police Department Chief of Patrol Fred Waller
- General Counsel to the Superintendent of Police Dana O'Malley
- Civilian Office of Police Accountability 1st Deputy Chief Administrator Tracie Smith
- Chicago Police Department Deputy Chief of Internal Affairs Karen Konow
- Deputy Inspector General for Public Safety Representative Phillip Moore
- Police Board Executive Director Max A. Caproni
- Members of the Public

President Foreman called the meeting to order. He reported that Board Members Eaddy and O'Malley are unable to attend the meeting in person. Board Member Simpson moved to permit attendance via audio conference. The motion passed by a vote of 7 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Flores, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed.

1. Board Member Delgado moved to approve the minutes of the Board's regular public meeting held on April 11, 2019. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed.

2. President Foreman announced that the Board's next regular public meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 20, 2019, at Chicago Public Safety Headquarters.

Board Member Simpson moved to close a series of executive sessions of the Board for the purposes of considering litigation and personnel matters, as authorized by sections 2(c)(1), (3),

(4), and (11) of the Illinois Open Meetings Act. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed.

3. President Foreman stated that a report of disciplinary actions taken by the Board during the previous month has been made available at the meeting, and he noted that this report and the Board's written findings and decisions are posted on the Board's website. He then announced that the Board considered in a closed meeting two disciplinary cases, and that the Board will now take final action on these cases:

- Case No. 18 PB 2948. Board Member Simpson moved to find Police Officer Darius Alexander guilty of soliciting sexual favors in exchange for helping to release an impounded car, and to discharge him from the Chicago Police Department. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed. Board Member Simpson moved to adopt the written findings and decision that have been reviewed by all Board members who participated in the case. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed.
- Case No. 16 PB 2913. President Foreman reported that the Superintendent filed charges to suspend Sergeant Jack Axiom for 270 days for engaging in verbal abuse, and that the Superintendent subsequently moved to withdraw the charges because the respondent resigned from the Chicago Police Department. Board Member Sweeney moved to grant the Superintendent's motion to withdraw the charges. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed.

President Foreman stated that the decisions in the above cases will be entered as of today's date and will be issued to the parties, and that a copy of each written decision will be posted on the Board's website as required by the Municipal Code of Chicago.

President Foreman noted that there are several additional disciplinary matters to announce. He reported that pursuant to Section 2-78-130 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, Board Member O'Malley considered several matters on which the Chief Administrator of the Civilian Office of Police Accountability and the Superintendent of Police did not agree regarding the discipline of a police officer:

- Case No. 19 RR 05. President Foreman reported that the Chief Administrator recommended that Police Officer John Sanders be suspended for five days for use of excessive force, and that the Superintendent recommended that the allegations be classified as *Not Sustained*. President Foreman reported that, in Board Member O'Malley's opinion, the Superintendent met the burden of overcoming the Chief Administrator's recommendation for discipline. Therefore, according to the Municipal Code, the Superintendent's response shall be implemented.

- Case No. 19 RR 06. President Foreman reported that the Chief Administrator recommended that Sergeant Ivan Ramos be issued a reprimand for searching a vehicle without justification, and that the Superintendent recommended that the allegation be classified as *Unfounded*. President Foreman reported that, in Board Member O'Malley's opinion, the Superintendent met the burden of overcoming the Chief Administrator's recommendation for discipline. Therefore, according to the Municipal Code, the Superintendent's response shall be implemented.
- Case No. 19 RR 07 & 08. President Foreman reported that the Chief Administrator recommended that Police Officers Steven Nisivaco and Leon Howard each be suspended for four days detaining passengers in handcuffs without justification and for other rule violations during a traffic stop, and that the Superintendent recommended no disciplinary action. President Foreman reported that, in Board Member O'Malley's opinion, the Superintendent met the burden of overcoming the Chief Administrator's recommendations for discipline. Therefore, according to the Municipal Code, the Superintendent's response shall be implemented.
- Case No. 19 RR 12. President Foreman reported that the Chief Administrator recommended that Police Officer Andre Gorlewski be suspended for fifteen days for taking and searching an individual's bag without justification and for unprofessional behavior, and that the Superintendent recommended that the officer be issued a reprimand. President Foreman reported that, in Board Member O'Malley's opinion, the response of the Superintendent did not meet the burden of overcoming the Chief Administrator's recommendation for discipline. Therefore, according to the Municipal Code, the Chief Administrator's recommendation for discipline is deemed accepted by the Superintendent.

President Foreman reported that a copy of the written opinion for each of the above matters will be posted on the Board's website as required by the Municipal Code.

4. President Foreman provided notice that the Board plans to consider at a future public meeting amendments to its Rules of Procedure that govern its handling of disciplinary matters. He stated that an updated draft of the proposed amendments has been posted on the Board's website, and that questions or comments may be submitted to the attention of Executive Director Caproni by May 31, 2019.

5. President Foreman announced that copies of the general orders and other directives issued by the Superintendent of Police during the previous month are listed in the blue books made available at the meeting and are posted on the Police Department's website.

6. President Foreman noted that the next item of business is the Superintendent's report. Chief Waller reported that the Police Department and the monitoring team continue to meet and have made meaningful progress in the initial weeks of implementing the Consent Decree entered in *Illinois v. Chicago*. Chief Waller also reported on the trip to Washington, D.C., by the Superintendent and hundreds of Chicago police officers as part of Police Memorial Month. *(See the transcript of the meeting, posted on the Board's website, for a complete report of Chief Waller's remarks.)*

7. President Foreman called upon those members of the public who had signed up in advance to speak. *(See the transcript of the meeting, posted on the Board's website, for a complete report of each speaker's remarks.)*

- Octavia Mitchell followed up on her comments at previous meetings regarding her request for DNA evidence from the investigation of the police-involved shooting of her son, Izeal Jackson. President Foreman stated that he will meet with Ms. Mitchell after the meeting to help make sure she gets answers to her questions.
- Joseen Carreon stated she was raped in 2011 and 2013 and continues to be harassed. Chief Waller asked Ms. Carreon to meet with Department representatives after the meeting so that they can address her concerns.
- Crista Noel spoke about the fatal shooting of Quintonio LeGrier and Bettie Jones by Police Officer Robert Rialmo.
- John Perryman expressed his concerns about troubled businesses and crime in the 12th District. President Foreman stated that he will follow up with the City's Department of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection regarding the troubled businesses.
- President Foreman called upon the following individuals and there was no response: EvAngel YHWHnewBN, Queen Sister, and George Blakemore.
- Robert More spoke about a variety of matters

President Foreman stated that all persons who had signed up in advance to speak had been called. Board Member Simpson moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed by a vote of 9 in favor (Foreman, Wolff, Delgado, Eaddy, Flores, O'Malley, Simpson, Sweeney, and Zopp) to 0 opposed, and President Foreman announced that the meeting is adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Max A. Caproni
Executive Director

**Chicago Police Board
Monthly Report of Decisions
May 2019**

	BIA		COPA		COPA		OIG		OIG		Total	
	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>	<u>This Month</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>
<u>DISCHARGE CASES</u>												
Guilty, Discharged	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4		
Guilty, Suspended	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Not Guilty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Charges Withdrawn--Respondent Resigned	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Charges Dismissed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total	1	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	5		
<u>SUSPENSION CASES: GREATER THAN 30 DAYS</u>												
Guilty, Recommended Penalty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Guilty, Penalty Increased	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Guilty, Penalty Reduced	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Not Guilty	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Charges Withdrawn--Respondent Resigned	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1		
Total	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1		

BIA = Investigated by the Chicago Police Department's Bureau of Internal Affairs
COPA = Investigated by the Civilian Office of Police Accountability
OIG = Investigated by the Office of the Inspector General

**POLICE BOARD
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**Policy Regarding the Attendance of and Participation by
the Public at Board Meetings**

(Adopted 15 December 2005)

The Police Board values the attendance of the public at its meetings and the opportunity to receive comments and questions on matters concerning the Board or the Police Department. The Board will treat members of the public with courtesy and respect, and expects that the public will treat Board members and Department members in a similar manner.

Toward that end, the Board has adopted the following rules governing conduct at Board meetings:

1. An individual wishing to address the Board must sign-up in advance by contacting the Board's office by phone, fax, or in person no later than 4:30 p.m. of the day before the meeting.
2. When called upon to address the Board, each speaker is to identify him/herself and speak clearly so that all in attendance may hear and so that the court reporter may make an accurate record of the proceedings.
3. Due to time constraints, each speaker is limited to two minutes and must conclude when asked to do so by the Board member acting as parliamentarian.
4. Personal attacks, obscene language, fighting words, threats, conduct intended to disrupt or interfere with the meeting, and comments not related to matters within the Board's or the Department's jurisdiction, by a speaker or any person in attendance, are strictly prohibited.

Violation of any of the above rules may result in the removal of the violator from the meeting room, or in the immediate adjournment of the meeting; in addition, repeated violations may result in the violator not being permitted to attend or participate in future Board meetings.

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This communication summarizes new or amended directives issued by the Superintendent between **01 May and 31 May 2019**.

The following directives, along with all of the Chicago Police Department's orders, are available for review in their entirety on the Department website listed below:

<http://directives.chicagopolice.org>

DEPARTMENT NOTICE

D19-03 Large Street Gatherings

GENERAL ORDER

G01-01 Vision, Mission Statement, and Core Values

RESOURCES

Department Forms: Series 21.000

PERSONNEL AND TRAINING

During the month of **May 2019**, **92** training blocks were conducted for Chicago Police Recruits, Metropolitan Recruits (including surrounding agencies) and In-Service Courses.

A total of Department attendees received In-Service/E-Learning training, which included: Aux/Alt Weapons Qualification training, Decentralized Training Unit (Roll Call Training, Tour of Duty Presentations), Force Mitigation/Crisis Recognition & Response, LEMART and LEMART Refresher/CPR, Prescribed Weapons Qualifications, Procedural Justice and Legitimacy III/Managing Implicit Bias, Active Shooter, Power Test, Patrol Carbine Requalification A, Pre-Service Classes for Detectives, Sergeants and Lieutenants, TASER Qualification and Re-Certification, Taser Qualification and Re-certification, TARA Gas Mask Training, Directives: May 2019, Standard Field Sobriety Testing Basic/Refresher Course, Tactical Room Entry, PAPV, POWER Test and Gang Violence Reduction Strategy.

A total of **366 Chicago Police Recruits** were in training along with **24 Metropolitan Police Recruits**.

IAD AND IPRA STATISTICS

COMPLAINTS RECEIVED, COMPLETED AND DISPOSITION

Police Board May 2019 Complaint Statistics

Log Numbers Received in ICLEAR

	Total Received	Assigned to BIA	Percent of Total
May 2018	392	288	73.5%
2018 Year to Date	1,713	1,252	73.1%
May 2019	344	225	65.4%
2019 Year to Date	1,890	1,176	62.2%

BIA Admin Closed	Percent of BIA Total
181	46.2%
726	42.4%
102	29.7%
381	20.2%

Pre-Affidavit Investigations

	Assigned to BIA	Percent of Total	Assigned to IPRA	Percent of Total	Total Received
May 2018	107	53.8%	92	46.2%	199
2018 Year to Date	526	58.2%	378	41.8%	904
May 2019	123	62.1%	75	37.9%	198
2019 Year to Date	795	56.4%	614	43.6%	1,409

BIA Investigations Received

	2018	2019	+/-
May	107	123	16
Year to Date*	526	795	269

BIA Investigations Closed (Investigation Completed)

2018	2019	+/-
113	51	-62
497	424	-73

BIA Investigative Findings** (Includes Field Units)

	May 2018	Percent of Total	YTD 2018	May 2019	Percent of Total	YTD 2019	YTD +/-
Sustained	11	9.7%	77	2	3.9%	42	-35
Exonerated	1	0.9%	13	2	3.9%	3	-10
Unfounded	15	13.3%	36	1	2.0%	36	0
Not Sustained	23	20.4%	67	3	5.9%	49	-18
Admin Closed	14	12.4%	72	1	2.0%	11	-61
No Affidavit /NC	49	43.4%	232	42	82.4%	283	51
	113		497	51		424	-73

NOTE: Investigative findings are based on the date the investigation has been completed, not received. The new intake system generates Log Numbers representing informational records. Pursuant to Illinois State Law, Complaint Register numbers are generated upon execution of an affidavit.

IAD AND IPRA STATISTICS
COMPLAINTS RECEIVED, COMPLETED AND DISPOSITION

CRMS Disciplinary Codes Entered for Members, *Not Unique Log#*
BIA Investigations Only

(Discipline at 'Final Finding', Case Closed in Records with Sustained Finding)

	May 2018	Percent of Total	YTD 2018	May 2019	Percent of Total	YTD 2019	YTD +/-
000 - Violation Noted	1	3.4%	3	3	8.6%	5	2
100 - Reprimand	9	31.0%	15	6	17.1%	22	7
200 - Susp Over 30 days	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	1	1
800 - Resigned Not Served	5	17.2%	11	0	0.0%	19	8
900 - Penalty Not Served	2	6.9%	2	1	2.9%	0	-2
Suspended 1 to 5 days	8	27.6%	31	11	31.4%	28	-3
Suspended 6 to 15 days	4	13.8%	18	6	17.1%	13	-5
Suspended 16 to 30 days	0	0.0%	5	8	22.9%	5	0
	29	100.0%	85	35	100.0%	93	8

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CITY OF CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF POLICE



SUMMARY OF SEPARATIONS BY CODE FOR MAY 2019 - CIVILIAN

SEPARATION CODE	DESCRIPTION	MAY 2019	JAN - MAY 2019	MAY 2018	JAN - MAY 2016	ALL OF 2016
608	RESIGN PENSION/INVEST	0	0	0	1	1
610	RESIGN PENSION	0	9	1	6	28
612	RESIGN OTHER EMPLOY	0	2	0	0	0
619	SEP/OTHER CITY POS	0	3	0	2	7
821	RESIGN/OTHER	1	3	1	3	13
827	RELOCATION	0	0	0	0	2
828	RESIGN FROM LOA	0	0	0	1	2
855	DISCHARGED	0	0	0	1	1
	CIVILIAN TOTALS	1	17	2	16	54

NOTE: THE INFORMATION IS CURRENT AS OF THE DATE AND TIME OF THE REPORT.



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CITY OF CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

SUMMARY OF SEPARATIONS BY CODE FOR MAY 2019 - SWORN

SEPARATION CODE	DESCRIPTION	MAY 2019	JAN - MAY 2019	MAY 2018	JAN - MAY 2018	ALL OF 2018
808	RESIGN PENSION/INVEST	2	7	1	6	9
809	RESIGN/UNDER INVEST	0	0	0	3	7
810	RESIGN PENSION	45	178	31	129	285
812	RESIGN OTHER EMPLOY	0	14	1	3	13
819	SEP/OTHER CITY POS	0	0	1	2	4
821	RESIGN/OTHER	4	27	2	15	49
827	RELOCATION	0	0	0	0	1
828	RESIGN FROM LOA	1	3	1	10	23
829	RESIGN FROM DPR	0	5	0	3	9
845	MANDATORY RETIREMENT	3	15	5	18	36
855	DISCHARGED	1	3	0	1	3
856	DISCH/PROBATIONARY	2	2	0	2	4
860	DEATH	0	1	0	0	0
881	EXPIRATION OF LOA	0	0	1	1	1
SWORN TOTALS		58	255	43	193	445

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